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## REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For State Treasurer,  
FRANK AMBERG,  
Supt. of Public Instruction,  
RICHARD EDWARDS,  
Attorney General,  
JAMES J. FINN,  
Clerk Supreme Court,  
L. C. MURPHY,  
For Congress,  
JONATHAN H. ROWELL.

The more the little Democratic Congressmen attack Speaker Reed the larger he appears by comparison with the little fellows who think they are fighting him.

Calvin S. Bruce is opposed to the Federal Election bill. He evidently believes that the best way to secure an election is to keep near the voters with the "sweat of war." He won that way and believes in sticking to the horse that carried him safely over.

BRANKINS of Senator Plumb's amendment to increase the duty on ester oil the Review says: "We believe Mr. Plumb's little amendment was rejected; it was something the people of Kansas wanted." Without referring to its beliefs we again call the Review's attention to the fact that the amendment was adopted.

The corner stone of the Methodist Episcopal University at Ogden, Utah, of which Rev. Sam Small is president, was laid Tuesday. The building will cost upwards of \$500,000 and will be pushed to rapid completion. The corner stone was set in place by Bishop John H. Vincent. Mr. Small was present and delivered his official address, which is highly spoken of.

## Canadian Criticism.

Canadian Manufacturers. "A dispatch from the American government is embodied in the statement made in our American exchanges that Messrs. Franks & Chalmers, of Chicago, who are probably the largest manufacturers of mining machinery in the world, are establishing branch works in England to enable them to make shipments direct to Europe, Asia, Australia and Africa, in such facilities being available from American ports. The dispatch contains the fact that the American government studiously abstains from rendering any assistance whatever to its merchant marine in the way of such facilities as Great Britain has given to her shipping, and which has clearly from this case made her the greatest maritime power on the globe.

The present Republican Congress is now doing what our Canadian neighbors upbraid us for failing to do heretofore, and it may be further said that the Republicans are doing this work against the protests of the Democratic party.

## An Awkward Question.

Will the REPUBLICAN who is right on the tariff blame Mr. McKinley?—Herald.

The Review might save itself considerable trouble by looking up the facts in relation to public matters before it delivers itself of such conclusions as the above. When Mr. Blaine presented the matter to the Republican members of the committee of ways and means, Mr. McKinley, who was not fully in sympathy with the removal of the sugar duty, was inclined to adopt Mr. Blaine's theory but was overruled by the western members, Burrows of Michigan, La Follette of Wisconsin, McKenna of California and Gear of Iowa.

Since that meeting Mr. McKinley has not argued his view of the matter on the country while Mr. Blaine has. The conflict of opinion which the Review thinks it sees is consequently between the western members of the committee of ways and means and Mr. Blaine. Mr. Gear has repeatedly said that he will not surrender a single inch on free sugar. The conflict of opinion, which the Review has led itself to believe exists, resulted itself into the question: Can the people of this country afford to have sugar restored to the dutiable list with a view of afterward, by a reciprocity treaty with Spain, opening a market for our surplus farm products in Cuba and Porto Rico. It will be observed that Mr. Blaine himself has abandoned his notion of the South American project as related to the American farm product for the very simple reason that South America raises a surplus of farm products and exports farm products instead of importing them. In relation to the opening of exchange in Cuba and Porto Rico for our American farm products for free sugar the New York Journal of Commerce, July 27, says:

In respect to the islands of Cuba and Porto Rico, referred to by Mr. Blaine's letter to Mr. Fry, it is true there might be a market for our breadstuffs and provisions of this country, but that market is necessarily very limited, in the sequence of two conditions: First, in that Cuba and Porto Rico are Spanish colonies, controlled by Spain and governed by the Spanish Government as of special value as a source of revenue and as an outlet for Spanish duties. The second condition is that the population of the Spanish West Indian colonies is not of the character to be of very much value as an outlet for American products. The population consists of about two million persons, a half of whom are practically in the condition of slaves. They wear almost nothing and consume little. Of the remainder of the population, a small percentage is conditioned to consume an important market for any country as the value of the commodities which, by the most stretch of possibility, could be expected from this country to Cuba and Porto Rico, is comparatively so insignificant as to be unworthy of consideration in the construction of our revenue laws.

With these facts before us the whole question presents a case of "a very great noise over a small field of wool," so far as opening a market in these countries for our farm products, by reciprocity, is concerned.

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## Didn't Know It Was Loaded.

Again the Democrats of the House have been fooling with a gun which they did not know was loaded. They, at the instigation of Bill Springer, under the employment of extra help in the Navy Yard, proceeded to load the gun, except in case of an emergency, and as an extraordinary force has just been ordered to the Kittery Navy Yard, which is partly in Reed's district, the Democrats, at once, assumed that it was done and tried in his return to Congress in fall. A resolution was introduced in Congress by the introduction of the resolution Speaker Reed was charged with complicity in this attempt to violate law for the purpose of his return to Congress. In discussing the resolution Mr. Bonville of Maine called the attention of the Democrats to the fact that the election of Congressmen in Maine occurs in September; that the constitution of Maine requires a residence of three months to qualify a voter, and that in less than six weeks the election will be held. Then Mr. Bonville said: "The greatest majority ever voted for Thomas B. Reed was 2,437 over his Democratic opponent, and that Reed had 1,028 majority in 1879, when the Navy Yard had been picked by a Democratic administration." At this point the Democrats discovered that their resolution was loaded, and consequently lost all further interest in the investigation.

Is the debate on the tariff in the Senate yesterday, in reply to a minority speech of Senator Berry, Senator Wilson of Iowa expressed the discontent which he always felt at hearing a Senator discuss a subject in regard to which he had so small an amount of definite information as that Senator evidently possessed in reference to the subject of protection. He said, for Mr. Berry's information, an article from the Fort Dodge, Iowa, Messenger, contrasting the condition of the farmer and workingman now and ten years ago, and showing the great reduction that had taken place in the price of household and agricultural implements and of necessary commodities within that time. The general summing up of the article was that never in human history would a day's labor purchase as much as it would today. As to the talk about depression in farming interests and about the condition of the farmer, Mr. Wilson said that the farm mortgages of Iowa had been published at \$567,000,000, when in fact that was the total amount of the assessed value of farm mortgages in Iowa was \$51,000,000.

The Chicago Tribune, which has all along told the public that the reciprocity plans of Secretary Blaine were in harmony with the views of the President, this morning reveals in information from Cape May to show that Blaine has finally succeeded, a day or two ago, in winning the President over in favor of reciprocity and that the President will at once send a special message to Congress on the subject. Reciprocity is all right and few Republicans will be found who will object to it when properly applied and fairly presented; but when it comes to presenting the subject to the people by a method by which markets for our farm products may be opened in South America, Cuba and Porto Rico and that, because of this Congress would be justly fit for restoring sugar to the dutiable list for crushing purposes, a large class of leading Republicans object. In our opinion their objections are sound and in the interest of the people. There are markets in these countries to put in our manufactures by reciprocity, but we cannot hope to force breadstuffs upon a people that do not need them, either by reciprocity or otherwise.

JOHN R. WALSH, of Chicago, a leading Democrat who assisted at the late Democratic state convention in declaring that the Democratic party favored the removal of all unnecessary restriction from the coinage of silver, has just leased for a term of ninety-nine years, more or less, to the Chicago Herald company in which the contract designates that he shall receive as rental \$78,640 gross, yearly, in gold per annum. No good Democrat should discriminate against silver in this way. It makes the good sense of his party look ridiculous.

The feature in the hat of the Democrats is a very deep red and is worn perpetually. Ninety-nine per cent gain in population in ten years, being next in percentage of gain to Chicago, makes the ordinary tramp look in wonder upon the bluffs of the Sangamon and look in wonder upon us.

SEVERAL DUBOUCHE and Plumb are receiving the applause of the Democrats in the Senate for their valiant course on the tariff bill and yet in Illinois the Democrats say that United States Senators, elected under the present laws, represent nobody.

## DID HE SAY IT.

The Controversy About Governor Campbell and the State Militia.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 7.—The Columbus Daily Press last evening gave its authority for the statement it made on July 22, that Governor Campbell said he intended in his speech at the Lodge hall protest meeting to say that if the bill passed he would call out the Ohio militia to prevent its enforcement in this State. Its story is that reporter Hal D. Lambson, was told by Ex-Governor George L. Converse that Allen W. Thurman had told him (Converse) that he (Thurman) had been so informed by Governor Campbell, and that the protest meeting should be postponed to prevent the Governor's making such a bad break. Both Thurman and Converse, Democrats, were speakers at the meeting. Mr. Allen W. Thurman made a statement for publication which is substantially as follows:

"I have read the statement made regarding the United Press of to-night, and in response thereto I wish to say: First—That Governor Campbell never stated or suggested to me that he intended to call out the militia of the State in case the bill should be passed. He never stated to me what kind of a speech he intended to make or what he intended to say at the meeting to be held on July 23, except that it would be very brief, the reason for this being that Mr. Converse and Captain Lee had been chosen to make the principal speeches and ought to be allowed all the time they wanted—neither did I state to any one that Governor Campbell ever made any such statement to me."

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## A SHOCKING DEATH.

That Which William Kemmler Suffered Yesterday.

## THE EXECUTION A BUNGLING FAILURE.

A Second Attempt Being Necessary to Produce Death—The Spectators Turn Sick and Faint Under the Awful Strain.

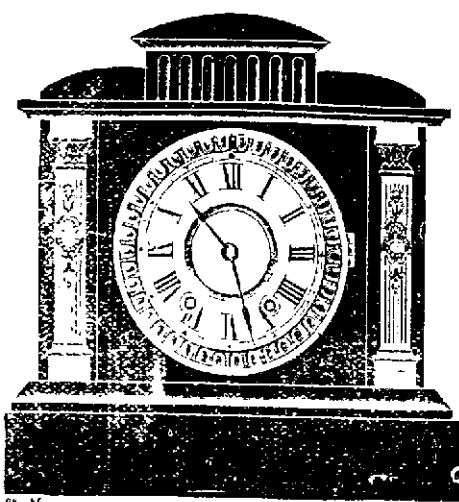
The Victim of the Mistake Unconscious of Suffering—History of the First Execution—The Autopsy and What It Developed.

AUBURN, N. Y., Aug. 6.—Kemmler is dead. At six o'clock this morning Warden Durston called the twenty-three witnesses which the law provided for, all of whom were to assist in the execution in some official capacity. All were prompt in responding to the summons.

At 6:35 a. m. the door at the right of the execution chair leading toward the execution room opened and Warden Durston's figure appeared in the doorway. Behind him walked a spruce-looking, broad-shouldered little man, full bearded, with carefully-arranged hair clustered around his forehead. He was dressed in a suit of new clothing, a sack coat and a vest of dark gray material, trousers of a mixed yellow pattern, a white shirt whose polished front was exposed directly below a little bow of lawn of a black and white check pattern. This was William Kemmler, the man who was about to undergo the sentence of death. Behind him walked Dr. W. E. Houghton and Chaplain Yates. Kemmler was by far the coolest man in the party. He did not look about the room with any special degree of interest, as the other men did. 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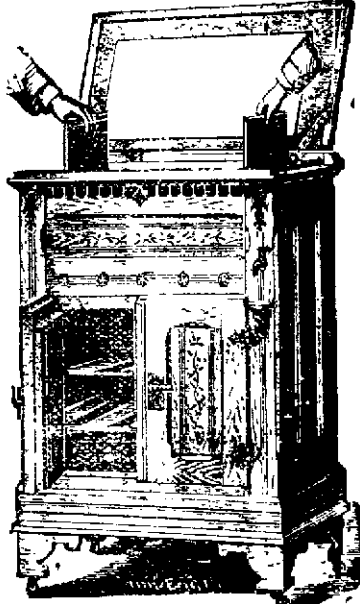
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It will pay you to look through this room.

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Best in the World.  
Charcoal Filled.  
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## NEW WHEAT!

We offer the following prizes for the Best and Second Best Bushel of 1890 Wheat, same to be delivered at our office on or before August first:

ONE BBL. WHITE LOAF For Best.  
ONE BBL. DAILY BREAD For Second Best.

NOTICE.—The Wheat entered for competition to be retained by the winner, who will agree to give in return a 25 lb. sack of DAILY BREAD Flour for each bushel of Wheat entered.

**SHELLBARGER MILL AND ELEVATOR CO.**

**1890-1855-35**

Smoked Beef Tongues.  
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DRIED BEEF.  
Boneless Breakfast Bacon.  
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DAILY REPUBLICAN.

**JOHN G. CLOYD,**  
Grocer,  
144 EAST MAIN ST.  
Stock Complete.  
PRICES LOW.  
Special attention given to High Grade  
TEAS AND COFFEES.  
TELEPHONE NO. 36.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**  
We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. HARKNESS, of Blue Mound township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

THURSDAY EVE, AUGUST 7, 1890.

### LOCAL NEWS.

EVERYBODY should have a Rose Bowl. You will find them at  
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & CO.

JOHN M. MARTIN, of Decatur, has been granted an increase of pension.

SMOKE the "Gem"—no artificial flavor.

"STELLA'S SHADOWS," on sale at West's book store.

W. H. BROWN and W. M. BOLD, Decatur, have secured a patent for a nail for box corners.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Penwell, born on Friday, was buried this forenoon in Greenwood.

THERE will be a sunflower social given at the Antioch Baptist church, August 11th, to pay some of her expenses. Everybody come and wear a sunflower. Admission 10 cents.

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Two Decatur contractors, George Dempsey and John Giblin, have a \$16,000 street paving on hand at Litchfield. They are laying nine blocks of street paving and progressing nicely with the contract.

JOR MICHEL at 120 North Water street makes the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. Try them.

THE Macon township Sunday school convention will be held on August 24th, having been postponed one week.

The meeting at the First M. E. Church this evening at 8 o'clock will be of great interest to all who care to know about Africa.

K. W. WESTHOFF is ready to receive pupils in piano, organ and harmony. Apply at C. B. Prescott's, or at 309 East Washington street. ang5-4dt

A. KRAMER has just received a carload of the famous Turnbull wagons. He has sold a number of them.

C. B. PRESCOTT carries an immense assortment of standard pianos and organs at his store. His prices are low and terms easy. See him.

It is boss—the Little Corporal cigar.

This morning Cicero Northland hauling a load of hay, met with bad luck in front of Postoffice block on Prairie street. One hind wheel came off and the team could go no further. There was no break, but the accident made a hay market of the street nearly all day.

WARREN G. A. R. rate to Boston and return, \$19.75. Good until Sept. 30.

REV. DANIEL E. LORAN, a well-known and popular minister of the Presbyterian church of Baraboo, Wis., has received and accepted the call of the Presbyterian church of Monticello, Ill., to become the pastor. He will enter upon his work in about 10 days.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25-4dt

THERE was a picnic party at the W. F. Martin place south of the city last evening at which Miss Maude Martin was the charming hostess. Hiram Johnson and Mr. Camery, and their families, of Decatur, were among the guests.

It is boss—the Little Corporal cigar.

FRESH country butter, nice vegetables and choice Edam cheese at J. Lytle & Co.'s grocery store every day.

A LARGE number of friends attended the funeral of the late Henry M. Palen, which took place last evening from the residence in the fifth ward, Rev. M. M. Goodwin officiating. Burial in Greenwood. A. Shoemaker, Harvey Travis, S. McClure, D. L. Hughes, Harry Aldridge and H. B. Matheny were pall bearers.

SLAVERY was abolished in 1854 but millions of beings are still in bondage through blood arrangements. Blindfold is the great emancipator, releasing the sufferer from blood, kidney and liver diseases.

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The funeral of the late William H. Smith, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, will take place from the church of God at 9:30 o'clock to-morrow morning.

The deceased was born in York county, Pa., in 1859, and in McPherson county, Kansas, Jan. 14, 1879, he married Miss Hattie E. Hoover. He was an exemplary christian and citizen, a church member and an active worker in the Y. M. C. A.

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Members of the Baptist Sunday school are picnicking at the Fair Grounds park to-day. The Wabash furnished a special train to transport the party to the grounds. The train left the Water street crossing at 8:30 this morning and will leave the grounds at 5 o'clock to-night. Plenty of hammocks and camp chairs were taken and everybody expects to have a pleasant time.

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SELECT what you want for the table at Hanks & Patterson's family grocery store.

LYNN & SCRUGGS are Sole Agents for the celebrated "Gentlemen" Kid Gloves. See advertisement. d&w

WHITE FLOUR is sold by all leading grocers in Decatur.

SMOKE the "Gem"—no artificial flavor.

Pensions.

Call on C. B. Spore, Pension Attorney and Notary Public, when you have a pension or other war claim to present. Third stairs west of post office. June 10-4dt

Appointed Fish Warden.

The repeated violation of the fish laws by parties residing in the Sangamon, as published in the REPUBLICAN, has stirred up the Decatur Fish and Game Club, and through James L. Poole, the organization has prevailed upon Governor Effor to appoint a Fish Warden for Macon county. The appointee is Richard Harkness, whose duty it will be to see that the state fish laws are strictly enforced. All complaints should go to Warden Harkness. In all prosecutions he will be assisted by State's Attorney Mills. His fee will come out of fines imposed. Old fishermen say certain persons use dynamo and unlawful seines in the Sangamon, these methods of catching fish making it impossible for the Sangamon fish to grow to any size or increase in numbers. By a strict enforcement of the law, as has been done at Kankakee, Mackinaw and Darville, we would soon have one of the most popular fishing resorts in the state. Our own fishermen would not have to go away to angle and visitors would flock to the Sangamon by the score all through the season. It is expected that all good citizens will assist Warden Harkness in the effort to be put forth to have the law enforced. This morning Mr. Harkness received his commission from the Governor.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Mary Roby is in Chicago.

Doc Hamburger, of Baltimore, Md., is in the city.

Hon. Charles A. Ewing is at Detroit, Mich., on business.

A. Kramer went to Moweaqua this morning on business.

Captain Geo. S. Darlee has returned home from Lake bluff.

Miss Stacia Steele is entertaining Miss Maggie Donovan, of Ivesdale.

Mrs. John Ward went to Danville this morning to visit relatives.

David L. Foster, of the circuit clerk's office, is on the sick list to-day.

Scott Alexander went to Bethany this morning to visit Walter Scott.

Misses Grace Wilson and Stella Wiswell are visiting friends in Blue Mound.

Noah M. Jacobs left this morning for Boston, accompanied by A. Daggett, of Macon.

Misses Etta and Mae Toban, of Springfield, are in the city visiting Miss Etta Sherman.

Miss Etta May Tobin, of Springfield, Ill., is visiting Miss Etta Sherman. She will remain several days.

Miss Grace Baldwin has gone to Niagara Falls on a pleasure trip. She may go as far as Mendocino, Pa.

Attorney and Mrs. I. A. Buckingham departed last evening for Boston, via Chicago.

Miss Lillie Eldridge has recovered sufficiently to enable her to go out walking for a short time with her mother.

H. S. Clark returned yesterday from his vacation trip in the west, and is on duty at the Linsseed Oil Works.

Thos. T. Moore, of Barrie, Ontario, is in the city. He is here on a visit to his brother, W. E. Moore, of Bradley Bros' store.

Misses Gertrude Brown and Effie Pouse will leave to-morrow for Chicago, where they will visit relatives until September.

Misses Mary and Emma Harpstrite departed yesterday for Chicago, where they will visit relatives and friends for a week or longer.

M. Einstein returned from Louisville, Ky., yesterday. He was accompanied by his wife, who has been at Atlantic Beach for several weeks.

Mrs. Turner, of Lincoln, arrived in the city this morning to visit her daughter, Miss Lola Turner, book-keeper for Cheap Clothing.

Mrs. W. P. Knodes, who has been visiting her parents on Smith and Webster streets, returned to-day noon to Indianapolis, Ind., her home.

Misses Ida Reame and Kate Harwood departed this forenoon for Sibley, Ill., where they will visit before proceeding to Chicago. They will be absent a week or ten days.

Miss Lulu Bishop, who has been spending the summer at Denver, Georgetown and other cities in Colorado, returned home yesterday. She was absent nine weeks.

O. N. Brown will depart this evening for New York City to join the Emma Abbott Opera company. After a rehearsal of three weeks the company will take the road about Sept. 1st.

George D. Cuser, formerly of Belleville, Ill., and at present a large orange grower of Florida, is in the city to-day visiting his friend, Peter Brock. He is expected to remain here for some time, having made wonderful success at orange growing.

F. T. Wilson, of Chicago, who has been visiting John J. Wilson and family, of North Church street, will depart this evening for home accompanied by Miss Jessie Wilson, of this city, and Miss Josephine Wilson, of Paris, who will visit to that city for an indefinite period.

Invitations have been received in this city announcing the marriage of O. A. Faust, formerly of the Decatur Business College, to Miss Mary E. Reynolds at the home of the bride's parents in Algon, Pa., on Thursday, August 15th. The couple will be at home in Galesburg, Ill., after September 1st.

Miss Belle Burrows departed this morning for Chicago, where she will visit relatives for several days. She will join a party of Decatur people next Monday.

and go to St. Louis, Mo. The party will include Mrs. A. P. Harkness, Mrs. Sherry Johns, Mrs. O. E. Curtis, Miss Alice Tuttle, and Frank Curtis, Berry Harris and Walter Strang.

FOTER P. D. & E. passenger coaches and two baggage cars were necessary to carry the Peoria lodge of colored Odd Fellows to the state assembly at Mattoon. The special train passed through here this morning and stopped long enough to enable about twenty-five colored people from this city to join the party. They return this evening.

C. B. DIAMOND, a Wabash fireman, explained his bill while at work this morning on his engine in the yards. W. H. Slater, another Wabash fireman, located a spider in his eye this morning which caused him a great deal of annoyance. Dr. Hostetter, the company's surgeon, treated both cases.

TO-DAY George Holt and Miss Maggie Sullivan, both of Argenta, secured a marriage license. The wedding will occur next Sunday.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, better, chapped hands, chaps, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood, Druggists.

THE THREE OUTLINES of disease are the bowels, the skin and the kidneys. Regulate their action with the best purifying tonic, Burdock Blood Bitters.

Cornerer Bandure visited the late home of George Smith in Hickory township last night, and summoning a jury from among the farmers of the neighborhood, held an inquest at 12 o'clock on the body of George Smith, the farmer who was found dead on his porch last evening. John Tait was the only witness. He testified that Smith had eaten a hearty dinner, and had been busy during the afternoon giving directions to men engaged in digging a well on the place. He had gone to the house alone, apparently alone, and at 5 o'clock Tait found him on the porch dead. He was lying on his face. A verdict of natural death, cause unknown, was returned by the jury. The remains will be interred at Bowling Springs cemetery.

Sold Out for \$2250.

R. L. Hockaday, who has been running the Hockaday House at Mt. Zion for 13 years, has sold the property to Patrick Sullivan for \$2250. Possession will be given within 30 or 60 days. It is the purpose of Mr. and Mrs. Hockaday to take a rest. They will visit in the east.

Bicycle Cycles.

John Robbins, of the West End, rode to Warrensburg to-day on his wheel.

At the close of the championship three mile race at the race track, Aug. 12th, between Silas Long, of Decatur, and Fred Windlow, of Quincy, there will be a free-for-all race, half mile.

Sheila Hunt has purchased a Warwick perfection wheel.

The Star Cycling Club, in star uniforms, will parade with the "Decatur Cycling Club Aug. 15th.

Surprised.

A party of sixty friends gave Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Ellis a surprise picnic yesterday at Martin's grove, four miles south of town. A costly cake-basket was presented to Mrs. Ellis, on which was engraved her name and the date. Games and other amusements occupied the attention of the party until about 9 o'clock, when they returned to the city in carriages. Mrs. Ellis will soon leave for Banning, Cal., and the affair was in the nature of a good-bye party. Refreshments were served under the trees, and a splendid time was enjoyed by all.

Be on Hand.

Those who have berths in the Wabash sleeping car en route for Boston should take great care to be on hand to-morrow (Friday) morning, as the car leaves at 11:21 o'clock. Some have the impression that they take their berths at Chicago and that the car leaves here to-morrow night, which is not the case. You secure your berth here in the car that goes through to Boston.

Do not fail to attend the meeting at the First M. E. church at 8 o'clock this evening and learn something about the one thousand millions now on the earth who have not heard of the Christ.

We are assured by the management that during the Decatur Cycling Club races at the trotting park, August 15th, Goodman's Band will play "Annie Rooney." This is official.

W. A. HAZ has sold his place in the fifth ward for \$1050.

AT THE TROTTING PARK.

Date of the Bicycle Races and Full List of the Prizes.

The bicycle races under the management of the Decatur Cycling Club will take place at the grounds of the Trotting Association on August 15th, at two o'clock; the entries close August 11th, at 6 p. m. Goodman's band will be in attendance and furnish music. The admission fee will be 25 cents, which includes all privileges of the grounds; children will be admitted for 10c. Before the races there will be a parade from Bicycle Headquarters which will be participated in by both clubs of the city. The parade will commence at 1 o'clock. The races and prizes will be as follows:

One mile safety, Decatur Cycling Club—first prize, \$15 gold medal; second, pair of bicycle shoes, given by George W. Powers, third, pair of gloves, given by Bradley Bros.; fourth, box of cigars, given by J. G. Cloyd.

One mile ordinary, open to county wheelmen—first prize, \$15 gold medal; second, silk umbrellas, given by the Race Clothing and Mfg. Co.; third, plush coat and cuff box, given by King & Wood.

Half mile heats, best two in three, open to county wheelmen—first prize, \$15 gold medal; second, pair of bicycle shoes, given by Ferriss & Lapham; third, box of cigars, given by Harry Omer.

Five mile safety, open to county wheelmen—first prize, \$25 gold medal; second, silk umbrellas, given by the Lynn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Co.; third, bicycle lamp, given by H. Mueller & Sons.

Boy's half mile, open to boys under sixteen years of age—first prize, \$15 gold medal; second, two volumes of the best Builders' Series, given by E. A. West; third, pair of boy's shoes, given by Freeman Bros.

Five mile ordinary, open to county wheelmen—first prize, \$25 gold medal; second, silk umbrellas, given by the Lynn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Co.; third, bicycle lamp, given by H. Mueller & Sons.

Two mile safety handicap, Decatur Cycling Club—first prize, \$25 gold medal; second, two volumes of Macaulay's History of England, given by J. H. Evans; third, fine fat deer shirt, given by Ottensheimer & Co.; fourth, box of cigars, given by D. H. Helman & Son.

Consolation race, first prize, a black silk shirt, given by A. P. Harkness; second, a box of "Little Dukes," given by Quinn & Seoforth; third, a china vase, given by E. D. Bartholomew & Co.

The races will take place under the L. A. W. Rules.

Much injury is done by the use of irritating, gripping compounds taken as purgatives. In Ayer's Pile, the patient has a mild but effective cathartic, that can be confidently recommended alike for the most delicate patients as well as the most robust.

Attention Good Templars!

All Good Templars are requested to meet at Decatur Lodge hall Friday morning at 9:45 o'clock, sharp, for the purpose of attending Good Templar day at the camp meeting. By order Committee.

TAKE a good look, with a keen, sharp eye, at our dress goods, silks, fine embroideries, black silk lace furnishings, white dress goods, table linens, hosiery, gloves, corsets, underwear and general necessities. You will quickly discern where a certain class of merchandise makes their home. LYNN & SCRUGGS.

WARREN G. A. R. rate to Boston and return, \$19.75. Good until Sept. 30.

Tan Binegrasses will make you look figures on vehicle work. apr 16-4dt

Carpets.

Curtains, Wall Paper and Matting. All new in style and cheap in price at Abel's Carpet House. apr2-4dt

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

FIELD DAY AT THE CAMP.

Young People on the Platform—Gold Medal Contest.

The young women assisted by young men are having a general field day at the camp meeting to-day. The children's meeting was largely increased. Mrs. Baxter gave an interesting Bible reading. Miss Lida Coleman, of Monticello, read an able paper, reviewing the history of the Y. A. The Jingle quartet sang "The Bells," and in response to a hearty encore gave "Marching Out of Egypt." Miss Clara Parieb, of Paris, president of the Fifteenth district, gave a vigorous and aggressive address, making a strong appeal for the Y's and their principles. This afternoon there will be an address by Dr. Rhoda Galloway, of Bloomington, and J. H. Shaw, of Chicago. The Y's of Decatur furnish special music for the afternoon meeting.

GOLD MEDAL CONTEST.

The gold medal elocutionary contest will occur at the camp to-night. It will not fail to draw a big crowd. The contestants will be Miss Mamma McKenzie and Miss Mary Watkins, of Decatur; Estella Barnhart, of Cerro Gordo; Lulu Bell, of Warrensburg; Emma Albert, of Warrensburg; Miss Kate Dealles, of Lake City; Elmer Buffham, of Bloomington; Lizzie Crowder, of Macon, and Miss Fank, of Milan.

Rev. Anna Shaw delivered her closing address last night on the woman's crusade and the effect of the high license laws. She pronounced high license a failure.

Sales of Real Estate.

Hiram Ward to John G. Wilson, and legal heirs of Dr. George A. Wilson, quit claim to 3.27 rods north of the corner of sec 33, 16, 3 east, thence north 30 1/2 rods, thence west 74 rods, thence south 80 1/2 rods, thence east 74 rods to place of beginning—\$100.

H. A. Wood to Thomas M. Stran, lot 8, block 4, Wood's West Park addition—bond for deed, \$250.

W. B. Chambers et al to Thomas A. Robbins, lot 8, in block 2, in Garver's addition to Decatur—\$150.

The estate farmers' co-operative association planning to establish a farm machinery plant, have been offering tempting inducements to locate in Decatur, and the head officers are considering the offer.

Good Times.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN: (Can you see why there ought not to be the best times in and around Decatur during the near future, that we have had since 1864 and '65? Here are a few reasons why we think there will be a healthy boom: There will be 500 or more pensioners added, in the near future, to the 500 already on the rolls here, aggregating \$100,000 per annum (low estimate), which will be distributed here, thus from the outside. Then, how much did you say would be paid out in the near future on the following improvements: The big sewer, street paving, short line extension, Presbyterian church, Episcopal church, Congregational church, syndicate block, and other buildings adjacent thereto, the Ladies' Club building, Powers' block, shoe factory, and a number of large and small enterprises without end or number? May not the millions expended 180 miles north, during the near future, in our great western metropolis, to entertain the inhabitants of the entire globe, have some effect upon us? Perhaps a few of those "dollars of the dummies" expended up there, may flow down this way. The vast expenditures which are being made there, will necessarily flow, some of it, down into Central Illinois in return for our products which they will need and must have. Is this view of the situation too rosy? We think not. Yours truly, C. H. SPORR, Aug. 7, 1890.

UNCLE DICK COLBERT has just harvested a nice crop of oats, and will soon have his threshing done. Then, it is to be hoped, he will wipe the perspiration from his fine agricultural brow, and proceed to make life a burden and a misery to one John M. Palmer.—Globe.

MR. STANLEY has found time and inclination to talk about the missionary prospects in Africa. He foresees trouble between the Protestants and Roman Catholics if native converts be not kept well in hand, but he has no fear of Mohammedanism in the future. The faith, he thinks, is fast decreasing, and he ventures to prophesy that within five years there will not be one Mohammedan south of the equator in Central Africa. He also assigns that space of time for the completion of the railway from the seaboard at Mombasa to Uganda on Lake Victoria Nyanza.

FAMILIES not already supplied should lose no time in procuring a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is the only remedy that can always be depended upon for bowel complaint in all its forms. 25 and 50-cent bottles, for sale by J. A. Swearingen, druggist. d&w

DIED.

On Aug. 6, at his home in Hickory township, of heart failure, George Smith, aged 70 years.

Mr. Smith was a farmer and was said to be worth \$15,000. He lived with John Tait. He was found dead on his porch at 12 o'clock. He was an Englishman and had once lived in Decatur. A daughter resides in England.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County, s. s.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and state aforesaid; and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1890.

A. W. GLEASON,

Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by druggists, 75c.

Dollar Excursion to Peoria.

On Friday, August 8th, the Route Haute & Peoria railroad will run an excursion to Peoria and return at one dollar for the round trip. Tickets will be good to return on any T. H. & P. train leaving Peoria up to and including Saturday, August 9th. Train leaves union depot for Peoria at 6:30 a. m.

DRINK Dr. Elliott's Celery Nerve, the most wonderful nerve tonic and stimulant of the age. S. M. Irwin, Agt.

The celebrated Chamberlain Kid Glove are better than any \$2 gloves in the market. Get our price is only \$1.50. Lynn & Scruggs.

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Will Sell for the Following Week:

At 9c	200 Dozen fine quality Sun Umbrellas, in white, pink and blue, actually worth 15 to 20c—will be sold at 9c.	At 29c	50 doz. full regular imported French Ladies' Hose, cost 50c a pair, will be closed out at 29c.
At 5c	150 Dozen India Chalmers, new designs and fast colors, worth 10c, price now 5c.	At 33c	100 dozen Gentlemen's (Gauze) Shirts, special bargain at 33c, former price 50c.
At 8c	100 Dozen choice styles Figured Satens, former price 15c, reduced to 8c.	At 25c	500 pairs Imported Black All Silk Jersey Mitts, best value ever offered, at



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